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**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Re: the patent application of: Christopher J. R. Paszty, Jin Cao, and Jianhua Gong  
For: Beta-Like Glycoprotein Hormone Polypeptide and Heterodimer

Transmitted herewith are:

- ☒ 143 pages of specification, 20 pages of claim(s) and 1 pages of abstract, totaling 164 pages.
- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawings.
- ☒ a declaration by the applicants (3 pgs).
- ☒ 3 pages of sequence listing, Attorney Statement (1 pg), and Sequence Listing Diskette.
- ☐ a certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Other: Assignment including Recordation Cover Sheet (5 pgs)  
Information Disclosure Statement including 1449 Forms (5 pgs) and 14 references.
- ☒ Preliminarily, please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following:

--This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60,192,654, filed March 28, 2000, and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/199,211, filed April 24, 2000, which are hereby incorporated by reference.--

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

For	Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	217	- 20 =	197	x \$18.00 =	\$3,546.00
Independent Claims	17	- 3 =	14	x \$80.00 =	1,120.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	53			+ \$270.00 =	270.00
Basic Fee				\$710.00 =	\$710.00
				Total Filing Fee	\$5,646.00

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